

Shinn, Sallie C., b. 1844, d. 1884, [EL]
Shinn, William A., b. 1879, d. 1955, h/o Clara E., [EL]
Southard, Anna B., b. Oct 21 1883, d. Jan 00 1978, with Bertha & George E, [EL]
Southard, Anthony B., b. 1886, d. 193?, h/o Mary Southard Bird, [EL]
Southard, Bertha M., b. 1889, d. 1937, with Anna B. & George, [EL]
Southard, Caleb S., b. 1854, d. 1927, h/o Mary A., Father, [EL]
Southard, Edith W., b. 1903, d. 1910, [EL]
Southard, George E., b. 1888, d. 1973, with Bertha & Anna B., [EL]
Southard, James C., b. 1881, d. 1929, [EL]
Southard, John L., b. 1880, d. 1911, h/o Elizabeth P. Vankirk, [EL]
Southard, Mary A., b. 1859, d. 1940, w/o Caleb S., Mother, [EL]
Southard, Mary A., b. Jul 29 1910, d. Oct 15 1993, w/o Vernon E., [EL]
Southard, Mary Bird, b. 1895, d. 1984, w/o Anthony B., [EL]
Southard, Phyllis, b. 1926, d. 1933, A B. & Mary Southard, [EL]
Southard, Vernon E., b. 1909, d. ?, h/o Mary A., [EL]
Van Kirk, Elizabeth P., b. 1882, d. 1932, w/o John L. Southard, [EL]

Bordentown Cemetery Association

210 CROSSWICKS ROAD
BORDENTOWN, NEW JERSEY 08505

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OFFICE HOURS:

Phone 609—298-0605

CLOSED:

Saturdays, Sundays and
all Legal Holidays

Week-days: 10 A.M. to 12 Noon
1 P.M. to 3 P.M.

March 7, 1986

Mr. Brian A. Smith
328 W. Palmer #4
Glendale, CA 91204-2230

RE: SOUTHARD, ELIZABETH

Dear Mr. Smith:

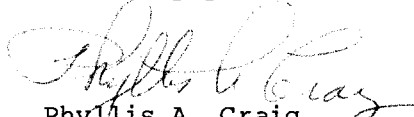
In response to your letter of March 3, 1986 requesting the date of death of your grandmother, Elizabeth Southard. I have checked our records and I note that her name was, Elizabeth VanKirk and she died on January 22, 1932 at the age of 49 years 3 months and 16 days. Apparently she re-married after you grandfather's death on October 23, 1911 and so that is the reason the N. J. Vital Statistics couldnot give you a specific date.

The funeral director died many years ago and no one has the slightest idea what ever happened to his records. His name was Clark Rogers.

To reach the Bordentown Cemetery by car going south on 206. Routes 206 and 130 merge at Bordentown by Roy Rogers. You will come up a slight hill and there will be a traffic light. Keep to your right and just after the light is a jug handle which will be at Crosswicks Street. Take the jug handle and come directly across the street/^{highway} and you will be on Crosswicks Road. There is a N.J. National Bank on Right and on Left an Exxon Gasoline station and in back of the Exxon is a 7-11 store. About a quarter of a mile on the right is Bordentown Cemetery. Our office and garage are housed in a sand colored building with a cupola on top.

I am enclosing a map of the section in the cemetery where your grandparents are interred. Should you arrive while someone is on duty we will show you exactly where the lot is located.

Sincerely yours,


Phyllis A. Craig

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Rec'd 5-5-86

Phyllis A. CRAIG
BORDENTOWN Cemetery Assoc.
210 Crosswicks Rd.
Bordentown, N.J. 08505

April 22, 1986

DEAR MS. CRAIG,

Thank you so much for the information concerning my ANCESTORS, John Southard and ELIZABETH (Southard) VANKIRK. It definitely helped me complete a missing section in my family. Also, the map you drew and the directions you gave are greatly appreciated as they will be helpful in August when I return.

I have another question that you may be able to answer. John and Elizabeth had a daughter, EDITH, born in 1903 or 1904 I believe. She passed away as a child, sometime after 1910. Could you please check your records to see if she is interred in your cemetery? Any information you have pertaining to her would be greatly appreciated, as this is the last child of John and ELIZABETH that I have NOT been able to account for.

Again, thank you so much for all your help.

Sincerely,
Brian A. Smith

4-28-86

Edith W. Southard, Lot 16 Section A
d. 10-3-1910 Age. 7 yrs.

Cause of Death - Diphtheria

BRIAN A. SMITH
328 W. Palmer #4
GLENDALE, CA.
91204-2230

Bill Southard

Before Trip

left side

Hogback corner
CROSSWICKS

CROSSWICKS ROAD

COUNTY

ROAD TO
COM. OFFICE

ROAD

DRIVE ABOUT 60'

John
SOUTHARD
(Ave C. #16)

Ave. D. Lot. 38
Mary A. Southard
d. 30 June 1940
age 81 - 4m. 2yd.

ARCHER LWS.
House

House
House
BANK

RTS 130/206
South

EXHIBIT

CROSSWICKS
STREET

Southard
CROSSWICKS
STREET

NOTE:
EDITH Southard is
IN LOT 16 SECT. A

Southard

- Cemetery Tombstones

- Borentown Cemetery

① John L. Southard 1880-1961
 ELIZABETH P. VANKIRK 1882-1932
 EDITH 1903-1910

② Mary A. Southard "mother" 1859-1940 (RKP p 117)
 Caleb Southard "Father" 1854-1927
 ANNA B. Southard 1883-1978

③ Sally P. Southard 1888-1966
 WILLIAM M. ——— 1882-1943 (p. 120)
 "OUR SON"
 WILLIAM V. ——— 1943-1957

④ LILIA Rogers Southard b. 1913 (p. 120)
 Vernon E. ——— b. 1909
 "Children of Sally + William" (#3)

⑤ Von A. Southard 1894-1975

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